COURSE DETAIL

COASTAL PROCESSES
Country United Kingdom - Scotland
Host Institution University of St Andrews
Program(s) University of St Andrews
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Environmental Studies
UCEAP Course Number 114
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title COASTAL PROCESSES
UCEAP Transcript Title COASTAL PROCESSES
UCEAP Quarter Units 8.00
UCEAP Semester Units 5.30

Course Description

The majority of the world's population live in close proximity to the coastal zone. Coastal processes are highly dynamic and sensitive to external drivers, including long-term climate change and anthropogenic activities. Understanding these systems is important for developing appropriate coastal management strategies. Coasts (and coastal processes) therefore represent an excellent opportunity to study the interactions between humans and their physical environment. The course enhances students' understanding of environment-shaping processes and to offer advanced field-based training in the coastal environment. Including practical classes and an obligatory, reasonably priced, weekend field excursion, it encourages students to think about the ways in which process knowledge can inform coastal management.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
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Host Institution Campus
University of St. Andrews

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
School of Geography & Geosciences

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